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## EDUCATION

1994 MFA, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
1990 BFA, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
Yale School of Art Summer Program, Norfolk, CT

## PUBLIC COMMISSIONS & COLLECTIONS

2018 Facebook, Chicago, IL
2015 Eastman Chemical Company, Kingsport, TN
2015 San Diego Manchester Hyatt, CA
2014 University of Illinois Urbana Champaign, Lincoln Hall ATLAS, IL Capital Development Board Project
2013 St. Mary's Hospital Breast Center, Epworth Crossing, Newburgh, IN
2013 University of Chicago Medicine – Center for Care & Discovery, IL
2012 Rosewood, Abu Dhabi, UAE
2012 Eaton Corporation, Cleveland, OH
2012 Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Office Building, Cincinnati, OH
2011 Hyatt Regency, Scottsdale, AZ
2008 Philadelphia Ritz Carlton Residences
2005 Englewood Senior Satellite Center, Chicago, IL

Middle River Power, Chicago, IL
Harper College, Palatine, IL
Working Artist Org, Tacoma, WA
Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
PricewaterhouseCoopers, New York, NY
The Bridges Organization
Beijing Biennale Office of China Artists Association
Ragdale Foundation, Lake Forest, IL
Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Michigan City, IN
Old Orchard Towers, Skokie, IL
Deloitte, Chicago, IL
US Embassy, Abuja, Nigeria
Elmhurst Art Museum, Elmhurst IL
City of Port Royal, Beaufort County, SC
UIC Hospital, Nutrition and Wellness Clinic, Chicago, IL

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 *MEASURED + INFUSED*, Harper College, Palatine, IL
2022 *Drifting inside Traditions*, Atrium Gallery, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL
2019 *Ge·o·met·rics,* One River School of Art + Design, Chicago, IL
2019 *Walking VT: Notes in Geometric Responses,* Gallery Heerz Tooya, Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria
2019 *On seeing: one point*, Ignition Project Space, Chicago, IL
2018 OH Art Foundation, Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL
2017 *Variable Expressions of a Constant*, The SXU Gallery, St. Xavier University, Chicago, IL
2014 Alumni Mini Exhibition, Barnhouse, Ragdale Foundation, Lake Forest, IL
2013 *Charting e*, ARTexhibitionLink's Gallery Uno, Chicago, IL
2012 *Con Templum*, Wieghardt Gallery, Evanston Art Center, IL
2012 *Etudes from Pi*, Jenoptik, Jena, Germany

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2011 *Etudes from Pi*, ARTexhibitionLink's Gallery Uno, Chicago, IL
2011 *Etudes from Pi*, Harold Washington Library, Chicago, IL
2010 David Weinberg Gallery, with Rhonda Wheatley and Marissa Glink, Chicago, IL
2008 *Digits,* Alfedena Gallery, Chicago, IL
2006 Crown Center Gallery, Loyola University, Chicago, IL
2006 *Installations,* Schmidt Art Center, Southwestern Illinois College, Belleville, IL
2005 Illinois Institute of Art, 180 N. Wabash, Chicago, IL
2005 Riverside Arts Center, Riverside, IL
2004 *Community Structures*, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL
2004 Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN
2003 *Sculptural Flesh,* Elmhurst Art Museum, Elmhurst, IL
2003 Rosewood Art Center, Kettering, OH
2003 *Cloaked Modifiers,* CIU Art Lounge, University of Illinois at Chicago
2002 *Dimensional Exchanges,* Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL
2002 *Groupings,* Cook County Bldg., main lobby, sponsored by Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
2001 *Nonlinear Feedback*, Porter Butts Gallery, University of Wisconsin - Madison
2000 *New Work*, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL
2000 *Pattern Generation*, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL
1999 *Holding Pattern*, Peter Miller Gallery, project space, Chicago, IL
1999 *Translucent Innuendoes*, ACME Art Gallery, Columbus, OH
1999 *Domains of Intimacy*, Peter Miller Gallery, Chicago, IL
1999 Trumbull Art Gallery, Warren, OH
1998 *Metaphors*, E. L. Jacob Gallery, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI
1998 InsideArt Gallery, Chicago, IL
1997 *Beyond Sculpture*, Kishwaukee Art Gallery, Kishwaukee College, Malta, IL

## TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2026 *Simple Present Forms*, with Amanda Gentry, Alma Gallery, Chicago, IL
2024 *Chromatic Harmony*, with Jackie Kazarian, Alma Art & Interiors Gallery, Chicago, IL
2024 *dialog concrete art*, with Robert Krainhofner, Kunsthandlung Huber & Treff, Jena, Germany
2022 *Rebellious Fibers,* with Bobbi Meier, OS Projects, Racine, WI
2018 *Structural Elements*, with Margie Criner and Doug Reyes, Fermilab Art Gallery, Batavia, IL
2015 With Cynthia Weiss, Two Prudential Plaza - Stetson Lobby, Chicago, IL
2011 *Art Works Chicago*, with Jeanine Coupe Ryding, Metropolitan Capital Bank, Chicago, IL
2007 *Biological Impulses,* with Beverly Kedzior, Fermilab Art Gallery, Batavia, IL
2005 *Narratives of Biology & Identity*, with Beverly Kedzior , Noyes Cultural Arts Center, Evanston, IL
2005 *Parallel Utterances,* with Gisela Insuaste, The Three Arts Club, Chicago, IL
2004 *Progression of Patterns,* with Mark Literski, Center for the Visual Arts, Wausau, WI
2001 *Patterns of Construction,* with Nancy Rosen, The Three Arts Club, Chicago, IL
1997 *Sculptures and Photographs*, with Alice Hargrave, Safety-Kleen Gallery One, Elgin Community College, Elgin, IL
1997 *Penetralia*, with Ulrike Johannsen, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
1994 *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, with Jacqueline Terrassa, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

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## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2027 *Analog: An Antidote to AI Art*, New Bedford Art Museum, New Bedford, MA
2026 *Nothing, But [Holes],* Unpacked Mobile Art Gallery, part of A Festival of Holes at SITE/less, Chicago, IL
*Momentum,* Leslie Wolfe Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Recent Works*, Robert T. Wright Gallery, College of Lake County, Grayslake, IL
*A Sense of Place,* The BLANC Art Space, New York City, NY
*A Sense of Place,* Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, Augusta, GA
*Knots,* Heaven Gallery, Chicago, IL
*VIVID Fiber*, Herrig Center for the Arts, Bradenton, FL
*Illinois All-State Juried Art Exhibition,* Giertz Gallery at Parkland College, Champaign, IL
*Abstract Expressions*, CSI Project Space, Chicago, IL
*Fiber*, AlterWork Studios, Long Island City, NY
*Spring Exhibition*, ALMA Gallery, Chicago, IL
2025 *Faceted Fiber*, Bridgeport Art Center 4th Floor Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Sculpture & Film*, CSI Project Space, Chicago, IL
*SOFT Launch*, International Sculpture Center Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA
*Chimera*, CSI Project Space, Chicago, IL
*Spring Exhibition*, ALMA Gallery, Chicago, IL
*PADA Residency 50*, Galeria PADA, Barreiro, Portugal
*Art Works Chicago: 20th Anniversary Exhibition*, Metropolitan Capital Bank, Chicago, IL
2024 *CAVA x ALMA*, Alma Art & Interiors Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Chicago Style: A Local Exhibition,* The Chicago Fine Art Salon, Chicago, IL
*9th Annual River North Design District Fall Gallery Walk*, Lightology, Chicago, IL
*CAVA Members' Show*, North Shore Art League, Winnetka, IL
*Agency: Craft in Chicago from the 1070s-80s and Beyond*, Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
*CSI x ALMA*, Alma Art & Interiors Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Maximizing Minimalism*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governors State University, University Park, IL
2023 *Elemental Impact*, Epiphany Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL
*Evanston + Vicinity Biennial,* Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL
*Sweet Home Chicago,* Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Absurdity: In Dada We Trust,* The Art Center, Highland Park, IL
*Color/Form Sculpture Exhibition*, Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art, College of Lake County, Grayslake, IL
*Playing on the Wide Shore*, James Baird Gallery, Pouch Cove, Newfoundland
Alma Art and Interiors Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Prism*, Van Gogh Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain
*Transcending,* Christopher Gallery, Prairie State College, Chicago Heights, IL
*Attitude*, Van Gogh Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain
*CSI Juried Exhibition*, Olson Gallery, NIU School of Art & Design, DeKalb, IL
*Friends of ALMA Benefit Auction*, Alma Art and Interiors Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Intersection,* CSI Project Space, Chicago, IL
2022 *Encounter,* a Jason Lazarus public art project, Randolph St. display window at Chicago Cultural Center, IL
*Responding to Rhythms – CSI Juried Exhibition*, Simmerling Art Gallery, Beverly Arts Center, Chicago, IL
*Art for Life & DIFFA Exhibition & Auction*, The Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL
*Sculpture Invasion 22 – CSI Biennial*, Koehnline Museum, Oakton Community College, Des Plains, IL
*Future*, Van Gogh Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain
*DuMA Craft Invitational,* Dubuque Museum of Art, Dubuque, IA
*Summer Salon*, Mu Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Threaded Together*, Alma Art + Interiors, Chicago, IL
*56/Milwaukee,* Oliva Gallery, Chicago

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GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Cont.)

2021 *Shape of Things*, Mu Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Small Works,* 3D4D by CSI Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Biennial: Origins in Geometry*, Museum of Geometric and MADI Art, Dallas, TX
*Re-Imagining Connection*, 3D4D by CSI Gallery, Chicago, IL
*9th Annual BAC Competition*, Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Three for Life: Art for Life Chicago Award Winners Exhibition,* West Loop Dot Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Evanston + Vicinity Biennial*, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

2020 *Illuminate,* Inaugural Exhibition, Springboard Arts Chicago, Chicago, IL
*Moving Forward in a time of Change: Our New Relationship to the World We Live In,* Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
*Art for Life & DIFFA Exhibition & Auction*, 33 Contemporary Gallery, Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Visual Impressions*, Ryan James Fine Arts, Kirkland, WA
*Chicago: Selection from the Permanent Collection,* Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
*Process and Material*, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
*CSI 20 20*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governor State University, University Park, IL
*REDUCTION*, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
*Threads of Truth – Social Impact and Fiber Arts,* Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL

2019 *Constructed Visions,* Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
*BRIDGES LINZ 2019*, Mathematical Art Exhibition, Johannes Kepler University, Linz, Austria
*ArtVenice Biennale 5,* large screen projection presented by The Biennial Project, Venice, Italy
*Nibble,* Ignition Project Space, Chicago, IL

2018 *Borders*, Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
*Bridges: Mathematical Art Exhibition*, Tekniska – National Museum of Science and Technology, Stockholm, Sweden
*Three Dimensional Exhibition*, Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Pages*, Blink Contemporary Art, Michigan City, IN
*Interwoven*, Marta Hewett Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
*The Shape of Air*, Contemporary Art Center, Peoria, IL
*JMM Exhibition of Mathematical Art*, San Diego Convention Center, CA

2017 *Illinois Regional Showcase*, MANIFEST Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
*Skin & Bones* - Chicago Sculpture International Exhibition, Noyes Cultural Arts Center, Evanston, IL
*The Silk Road and World's Civilizations* - 7th Beijing International Art Biennale, National Art Museum of China, Beijing
*Visible·Invisible·Divisible*, Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago, IL
*InterAction*, Christopher Art Gallery, Prairie State College, Chicago Heights, IL
*ArtVenice Biennale 4,* large screen projection presented by The Biennial Project, Venice, Italy
*The Nth Degree*, Foundry Art Centre, St. Charles, MO
*Art for Life & DIFFA Chicago Exhibition & Auction*, Venue One, Chicago, IL
*5th Annual Art Competition*, Bridgeport Art center, Chicago, IL
*Small But Mighty*, Christopher Art Gallery, Prairie State College, Chicago Heights, IL

2016 *13th Annual Regional Juried Exhibition*, Freeport Art Museum, IL
*True to Form: Works from Chicago Sculpture International*, Brauer Museum, Valparaiso, IN
*New Business: Works by Center Program Artists*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Blueprints*, Chicago Industrial Arts & Design Center, IL

2015 *CSI: Themes in Contemporary Sculpture*, Foster Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Buckingham Interiors + Design, Chicago, IL
*Biennial: Origins in Geometry*, Museum of Geometric and MADI Art, Dallas, TX
*ArtVenice Biennale 3,* large screen projection presented by The Biennial Project, Venice, Italy
*smallworks,* Harper College Art Exhibition Space, Palatine, IL

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GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Cont.)

2014 *London Calling 014*, The Old Truman Brewery - Dray Walk Gallery, London, England
*71th Annual Salon Show*, South Shore Arts, Munster, IN
*35 Years of Public Art*, Chicago Cultural Center, IL
*Unbound(ed)* Encaustic Exhibition, Morpho Gallery, Chicago, IL

2013 *This is Contemporary Art*, Marta Hewett Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
*2013 Chicago Sculpture International Exhibition*, Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
*70th Annual Salon Show*, South Shore Arts, Munster, IN
*Identity Discourse,* Hyde Park Art Center, Gallery 2, Chicago, IL
*Warp and Weft: Deviations Away From the Woven Image*, University of Chicago Skybridge Gallery, IL
*Define Drawing*, MacLean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL
*Art Comes Alive*, ADC Inc., Cincinnati, OH
*Material World*, Tall Grass Arts Association, Park Forest, IL

2012 *Ways of Making*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governors State University, University Park, IL
*Hamptons Spring Show,* courtesy Michael Hennessy Home, 4 North Main Gallery, Southampton, NY
A. Rudin, Merchandise Mart, suite 1711, Chicago, IL

2011 *Bare Essentials: Minimalism in the 21st Century*, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
*6³*, a Chicago Sculpture International exhibition, Framing Mode & Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Drawing Connections*, Siena Art Institute, Siena, Italy
VAC Gallery, Blackburn College, Carlinville, IL
*Sculpture Today: New Forces, New Forms*, Frederik Meijer Gardens and Sculpture Park, Grand Rapids, MI
*Primary Structures*, San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles, CA
Michael Hennessy HOME, New York, NY
*The Small Sculpture Show,* Andrews Gallery, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA
*The Collective*, David Weinberg Gallery, Chicago, IL

2010 *Art Loop Open,* Block 37, Chicago, IL
ARTexhibitionLink - Gallery UNO Projektraum , Berlin, Germany
*Sculpture Invasion*, Koehnline Museum of Art, Oakton Community College, Des Plaines, IL
*Spring Benefit Exhibition and Auction*, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL
Fresh Paint Art Advisors, Culver City, CA

2009 *Dreaming of Windmills,* Art Encounter's 30th Anniversary Benefit, Instituto Cervantes Chicago, IL
*Just Good Art,* exhibition and auction, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Indie/South Indie*, Prairie Avenue Gallery, Chicago, IL
A. Rudin showroom, D & D Building, New York, NY
*Sculpture Conference 2009 - Indoor Sculpture Exhibit,* The Gallery in Red Bank, Chattanooga, TN
*The Healing Power of Art,* New Visions Gallery, Marshfield Clinic, Marshfield, WI
*Spellbound,* Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*The Healing Power of Art,* The Art Center, Highland Park, IL
*Crossing Threads, Crossing Boundaries,* Northern Illinois University Art Museum, DeKalb, IL
A. Rudin showroom, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL

2008 *Art Show and Sale to Benefit Breast Cancer,* Soho Myriad, Atlanta, GA
*Chicago Sculpture International – 2008 Juried Exhibition,* Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI
*CSI Sculpture Biennale,* Flatfile Gallery, Chicago, IL

2007 *ON / OFF,* an ILNMWA invitational, Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
*Chandler Sculpture Walk*, Vision Gallery, Chandler, AZ
*From Concept to Collection,* Elmhurst Art Museum, Elmhurst, IL
*Sculpture Invasion,* Koehnline Museum of Art, Oakton Community College, Des Plaines, IL

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GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Cont.)

2006 *Women's Journeys in Fiber,* Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Michigan City, IN
*Biennial Sculpture Invitational,* Krasl Art Center, St. Joseph, MI
*Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Rockford Midwestern Exhibition,* Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
*Fragmentations,* Claypool-Young Art Gallery, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY
2005 *Graffiti Stories*, Gallery 24, Berlin, Germany
*Graffiti Stories*, Hyunnart Studio, Rome, Italy
*Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
Cliff Dwellers, Chicago, IL
*Pleasure Little Treasure,* Framing Mode and Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Living Artists Invitational*, Fine Arts Building Gallery, Chicago, IL
NOVA Young Art Fair, Courtesy New Context Gallery, Chicago, IL
2004 *Holiday Global Art Salon,* New Context Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Just Good Art,* Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Eyes on Pilsen,* New Context Gallery in conjunction with Aldo Castillo Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Not of Iron,* Illinois State Museum, Rend Lake, IL
*For the Birds,* The Clarke House Museum and Chicago Women's Park and Gardens, a Department of Cultural Affairs invitational, Chicago, IL
*The Feminine Eye*, Bradley University Art Galleries, Peoria, IL
2003 *Not of Iron,* Illinois State Museum, Lockport, IL
*Chicago Sculpture 2003: Artists on the Map,* Lake & Morgan, Chicago, IL
*Pins and Needles,* John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Sheboygan, WI
*Material Presence,* McLean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL
*ISC@GFS*, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, NJ
*Rhythm of Crochet*, traveling to McHenry County College, Crystal Lake, IL; Moonstone Studio & Gallery, Lake Geneva, WI; Gallery 510, Decatur, IL; Fiber Art Center, Amherst, MA.
*The Summer Show*, Gallery 312, Chicago, IL
*Not of Iron,* Illinois State Museum, Springfield, IL
*6th International Open*, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
2002 *Not of Iron,* Illinois State Museum, Thompson Center, Chicago, IL
*Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
Pilsen Artists' Open House, Courtesy S.O.B.S., Chicago, IL
U. S. Embassy, Ankara, Turkey (2 year loan)
*Midwestern Exhibition,* Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
Spaso House, U.S. Embassy, Moscow, Russia (4 year loan)
*Forms/Synthetic Materials,* Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN
*North American Sculpture Exhibition,* Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO
2001 *Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Mapping Cultures*, Bruce Gallery, Edinboro University, Edinboro, PA
*External Form,* Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI
Tombo, Chicago, IL
Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL
*41st Annual Invitational Exhibit*, Longview Museum of Fine Arts, Longview, TX
*Crochet Ancient Craft: Contemporary Art*, The Fine Line Creative Arts Center, St. Charles, IL
2000 *Blurred Boundaries*, The Arts Center of the Capitol Region, Troy, NY
*Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*Departure/Return*, Meadows Museum, SMU, Dallas, TX
*Chain Reaction*, McHenry County College, Crystal Lake, IL
*Midwestern Exhibition*, Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
*Amazon Rising: A River of Art*, Shedd Aquarium sponsored outdoor installation at 215 E. Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Cont.)

*Three by Three*, O'Kane Gallery, University of Houston, TX
*Chain Reaction*, Textile Arts Center, Chicago, IL
*Autobiography*, Appleton Art Center, Appleton, WI
Peter Miller Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Chicago Flower and Garden Show*, Navy Pier, Chicago, IL
Evanston Arts Center, Evanston, IL
*Mini-Millennium*, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Elements 2000*, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY
*Midwest Fiber – 3 D*, South Bend Regional Museum of Art, South Bend, IN

1999 *Fetish*, Riverside Arts Center, Riverside, IL
*Sculpture Center Spring Benefit Raffle*, Sculpture Center, New York, NY
*The Object; Of Sculpture*, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
*Yet the Body is His Book: Recent Students of Herbert George*, Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL

1998 JennJoy Gallery, San Francisco, CA
*3rd Occasional Survey of Abstract Art in Chicago,* Klein Art Works, Chicago, IL
Lyons Weir Gallery, atrium installation, Chicago, IL
*Janina Started All Of This,* Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*On Your Mark,* Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Surface Tension*, Indiana University Purdue University at Ft. Wayne, IN
*Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*S.O.F.A. International Expo*, courtesy Lyons Wier Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Sculpture: The-3D Process*, Charles Sumner School Museum, Washington, DC

1997 *Just Good Art*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
*ARC Regional*, ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Women in Abstraction*, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
*The Mad Cap Ball*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL

1996 *Figurative Abstraction*, Fine Arts Building Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Heat*, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL
*Transfigurations*, Gallery 7000, Chicago, IL
*The Body*, Pyramid Arts Center, Rochester, NY
*Pleasure (Beyond Guilt*), Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL

1995 *New Talent II*, Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL
*Ten Emerging*, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL
*10th Annual Area Artists Asso. Juried Exhibition*, Blank Center, Michigan City, IN
*The North American Sculpture Exhibition*, The Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO

1994 *International Juried Exhibition*, Clara Kott von Storch Gallery, Dexter, MI
*MFA 1994*, Smart Museum, Chicago, IL
*10th Annual All-Illinois Graduate Art Exhibition*, Jones Gallery, Evanston, IL

## ART FAIRS

2022 art3f International Contemporary Art Fair Bruxelles, Brussels Expo, Belgium. Courtesy VAN GOGH Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain

2022 26th ARTfair INNSBRUCK, OLYMPIAWORLD INNSBRUCK, Austria. Courtesy VAN GOGH Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain

2022 MdW Assembly– Art Fair for artist run projects, MANA Contemporary, Chicago, IL
Courtesy Ignition Project Space, Chicago, IL

2022 art3f Monaco International Contemporary Art Fair, Chapiteau de Fontvieille, 5 Avenue des Ligures.
Courtesy VAN GOGH Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain

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2022 (un)fair MILANO, SUPERSTUDIO MAXI, Milan, Italy. Courtesy VAN GOGH Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain
2021 *The Other Art Fair*, Revel Fulton Market, Chicago, IL
2021 art3f Luxembourg International Contemporary Art Fair, Luxexpo The Box, Luxembourg. Courtesy VAN GOGH Art Gallery, Madrid, Spain
2018 *The Other Art Fair*, Mana Contemporary, Chicago, IL
2012 *Architectural Digest Home Design Show: Made Section*, Pier 94, New York, NY
2011 *Art Chicago*, with Chicago Sculpture International, Merchandise Mart, IL
2011 *The Artist Project New York*, Pier 92, New York, NY
2010 *Berliner Liste,* Berlin, Germany, courtesy of ARTexhibitionLink
2010 *Art Chicago,* with Chicago Sculpture International, Merchandise Mart, IL
2008 *The Artist Project,* Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL
1998 *Around the Coyote Arts Festival*, Curators Choice, Chicago, IL

## RESIDENCIES

2025 Cultural Hub Croatia PROSTOR International Art Residency, Split, Croatia
2025 PADA Studios, International Art Residency & Gallery based in a post-industrial site near Lisbon, Portugal
2023 Brashnar Artists-in-Residence, Brashnar Creative Project, Skopje, Republic of North Macedonia
2023 Pouch Cove Artist Residency, Pouch Cove, Newfoundland, Canada
2019 Artist Residency Vishovgrad International (ARV.I), Vishovgrad, Bulgaria
2013 Ragdale Residency, Lake Forest, IL
2011 Ragdale Residency, Lake Forest, IL

## GRANTS & AWARDS

2026 Honorable Mention, See.me *Sense of Place Exhibition*, The BLANC Art Space, NYC, NY
2026 Fiber Art Now, *VIVID Fiber* print competition, 2nd prize
2019 The Working Artist Grant/Art Purchase Award, Tacoma, WA
2018 Individual Artists Program (IAP) Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events, as well as a grant from the Illinois Arts Council Agency, a state agency through federal funds provided by the National Endowment for the Arts.
2013 Award of Distinction, *70th Annual Salon Show*, South Shore Arts, Munster, IN
2009 Artist's Fellowship Award, Illinois Arts Council
2005 Governor's International Arts Exchange Grant, an Illinois Arts Council Program
2003 CAAP (Community Arts Assistance Program) Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Illinois Arts Council Access Program
2002 Connoisseurs Award, *The North American Sculpture Exhibition*, Golden, CO
2000 Best of Show Award, *Midwestern Exhibition,* Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
1998 CAAP (Community Arts Assistance Program) Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Illinois Arts Council Access Program
1996 CAAP (Community Arts Assistance Program) Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Illinois Arts Council Access Program
1995 H. R. Meininger Co. Award, *The North American Sculpture Exhibition*, Golden, CO
1994 Artemisia Gallery Mentorship Program, Chicago, IL
1994 Juror's Award, *10th Annual All-Illinois Graduate Exhibition*, Evanston, IL
1992 University of Chicago Fellowship, Chicago, IL
1990 Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fellowship, Norfolk, CT
1989 Zelle Scholarship, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
1988 DCCC Scholarship, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX

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## ONLINE INTERVIEWS & FEATURES

*Geometric Magazine*, interview and profile page, July 2026. https://geometricmagazine.com/artists/yvette-kaiser-smith/

In-Studio Artist Spotlight, a Turning Art Interview, August 31, 2020
https://blog.turningart.com/in-studio/yvettekaisersmith

Other Peoples Pixels Interviews Yvette Kaiser-Smith, OPP Featured Artist Interview, July 17, 2019
https://blog.otherpeoplespixels.com/otherpeoplespixels-interviews-yvette-kaiser-smith

"Meet Polsky Member of the Month: Yvette Kaiser Smith", *Polsky Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation*, June 25, 2019 https://polsky.uchicago.edu/2019/06/25/meet-polsky-member-of-the-month-yvette-kaiser-smith/

Arts Magazine. *Wake up Screaming*, #16 Numbers, November 7, 2018
https://wakeupscreaming.com/tom-bree-foreword-sacred-number-and-its-incarnation-through-geometry/

Interview. Meet Yvette Kaiser Smith, *Voyage Chicago - Chicago City Guide*, June 5, 2018
http://voyagechicago.com/interview/meet-yvette-kaiser-smith/

Interview. *TextileArtist.org,* "Yvette Kaiser Smith: Loitering in the shadows", October 11, 2016
https://www.textileartist.org/yvette-kaiser-smith-loitering-shadows

Arts Magazine. *Combustus*, "The Natural Tension Between Creativity and Constraints", 11/12/2015
https://combustus.com/the-natural-tension-between-creativity-and-constraints/

Interview. *Zone One Arts*, In Conversation with Deborah Blakeley, 10/21/2013
http://zoneonearts.com.au/yvette-kaiser-smith/

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Potocky Rafaidus, Miriam. *Czechoslovakia's Cold War Refugee Children*, Lived Places Publishing, NY, 2025, pp. 19, 49-52, 57, 76, 78, 80, 82, 108.
Catalog. *This is the Future of Non-Objective Art*, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY, 2024
Catalog. *Art for Life Chicago 2022 Show Catalog*, item number 403.
Catalog. *Art for Life Chicago 2021 Show Catalog*, item number 301.
Catalog. *Origins in Geometry Biennial 2021,* Museum of geometric and MADI Art, Dallas, TX, p.6
Bridges 2021 Art Exhibition Catalog, p. 38, The Bridges Organization.
2021 Joint Mathematics Meetings Exhibition of Mathematical Art Catalog, pp. 96-97
WERKS Contemporary Art Magazine, Issue 3, Chicago Artist Survey Special, Amazon Print on Demand, 2020
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